

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA  
AT CHARLESTON

DWIGHT ALAN ALDERMAN,

Plaintiff,

v.

Civil Action No. 2:15-15437

CAROLYN W. COLVIN,  
Acting Commissioner of the  
Social Security Administration,

Defendant.

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER

The court having received the Proposed Findings and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Omar J. Aboulhosn, entered on November 29, 2016; and the magistrate judge having recommended that the court affirm the final decision of the Commissioner; deny plaintiff's motion for judgment on the pleadings; and grant the Commissioner's motion for judgment on the pleadings; and no objection having been filed to the Proposed Findings and Recommendation, it is ORDERED that:

1. The findings made in the Proposed Findings and Recommendation of the magistrate judge be, and they hereby are, adopted by the court and incorporated herein;

2. Plaintiff's motion for judgment on the pleadings be, and it hereby is, denied;

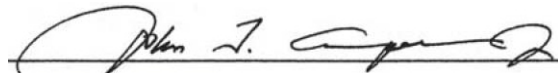
3. The Commissioner's motion for judgment on the pleadings be, and it hereby is, granted;

4. The decision of the Commissioner be, and it hereby is, affirmed; and

5. The action is dismissed, with prejudice, from the docket of this court.

The Clerk is directed to forward copies of this written opinion and order to all counsel of record and the United States Magistrate Judge.

DATED: December 22, 2016

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John T. Copenhaver, Jr.", is written over a horizontal line.

John T. Copenhaver, Jr.  
United States District Judge